

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 3355 - SB 3527

February 9, 2012

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes a registered owner, a lienholder of record, or an insurer, once notified that a motor vehicle is in the possession of a garage keeper or towing firm, to inspect such motor vehicle prior to making payment of any fees for the towing and storage of such motor vehicle.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Garage keepers and towing firms do not release motor vehicles to register owners, lienholders, or insurers until all applicable fees owed the garage keeper or towing firm have been paid.
- Permitting an owner, lienholder, or insurer to view and inspect a motor vehicle that has been towed prior to payment of fees will not have a significant impact on state or local government.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lucian D. Geise".

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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